

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

April 12, 2001

Mr. Dennis Booth, Treasurer Arizona Republican Party 3501 North 24<sup>th</sup> Street Phoenix, AZ 85016

Identification Number:

C00008227

Reference:

October Quarterly (8/24/00-9/30/00) and Amended October Quarterly

(8/24/00-9/30/00), dated 10/25/00

Dear Mr. Booth:

On March 21, 2001, you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

Your April 3, 2001, response is incomplete because you have not provided all the requested information. For this response to be considered adequate, the following information is still required.

-Your EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE calculations for Administrative/Voter Drive are incorrect. EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE totals for administrative and voter drive costs are derived by aggregating all disbursements during the calendar year for the whole Administrative/Voter Drive category. EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE totals for fundraising, direct candidate support, and exempt activities are derived by aggregating all disbursements during the calendar year within a specific event. These should be calculated by adding the latest disbursement for a category or event to the previous EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE total for that category or event. This running EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE total should be disclosed after each disbursement is listed. Please amend your report by providing the correct EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE totals.

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by May 2, 2001. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in

determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Dominick Ciaraldi on our tell-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

John D. Gibson

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